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Serial No.: 09/797,027 Art Unit: 1626
Filed: March 1, 2001
For: *Synthesis of Epothilones, Intermediates Thereto, Analogues and Uses Thereof*

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136

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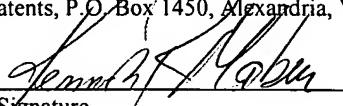
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